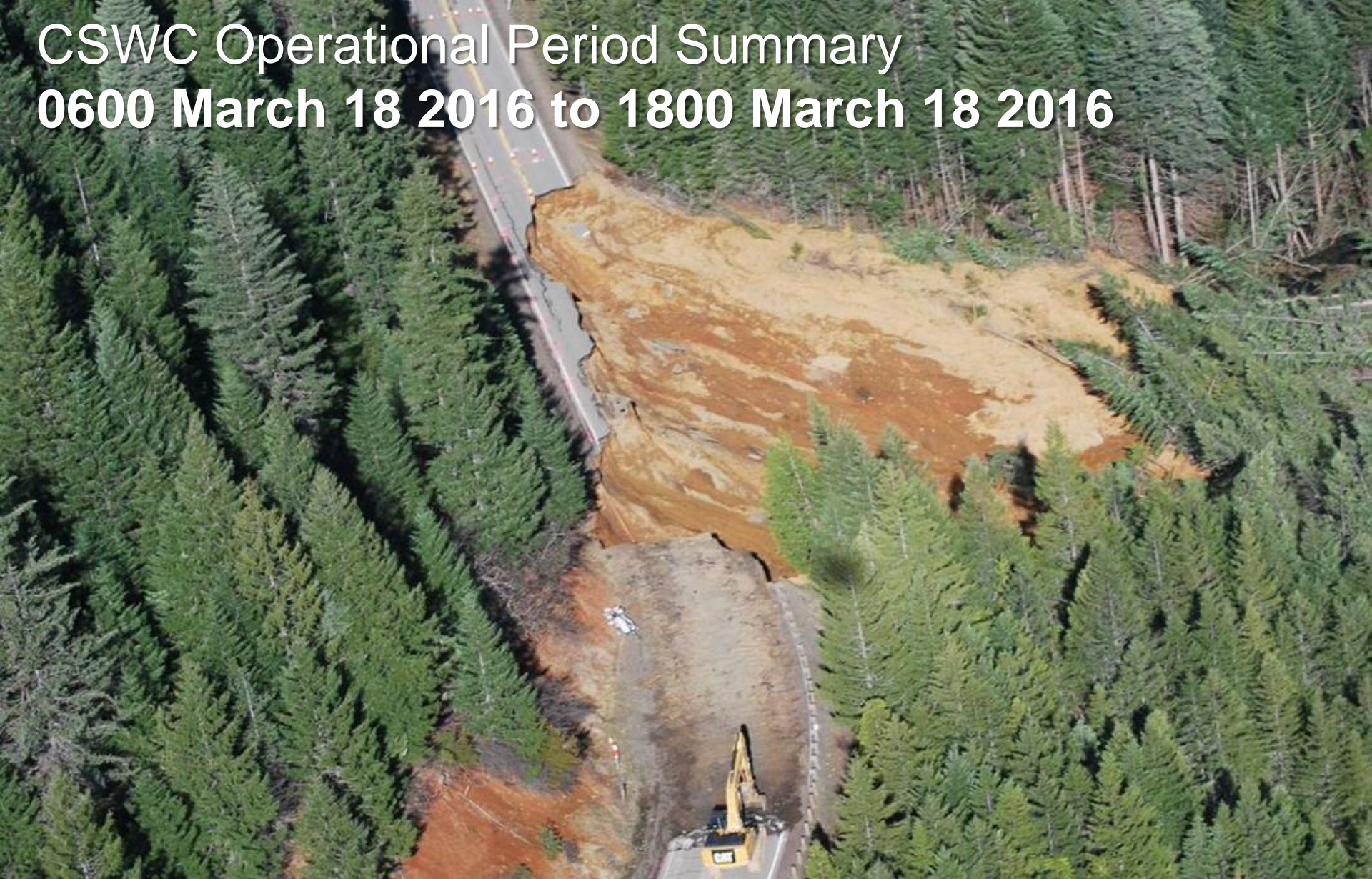


CSWC Operational Period Summary

0600 March 18 2016 to 1800 March 18 2016



A washed out section of Hwy 3, Trinity County

Photo Credit: Haleigh Pike / KRCR News



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SITUATION SUMMARY

BART Service Delay, Contra Costa County

- On 03/16/16 at 1735 hours, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received a report from the State Threat Assessment Center (STAC) advising that an electrical surge caused damage to 50 BART train cars on the tracks between Pittsburg and Concord in Contra Costa County.
- BART service continues to be suspended between the Pittsburg/Bay Point and North Concord-Martinez stations which will cause delays. Service on other lines in the system will also be affected because there will be fewer cars in service.
- BART has issued an Advisory on its website, stating that a **10-minute delay** can be expected on the Pittsburg/Bay Point Line in the Pittsburg / Bay Point and SFO directions. Riders will still be able to board a BART train at the North Concord Station if traveling towards Oakland and San Francisco.
- A bus bridge has been established to commute riders traveling between the Pittsburg/Bay Point and North Concord-Martinez stations as crews work to troubleshoot the problem.
- BART isolated the problem to a portion of track along Highway 4, just east of the Willow Pass exit on the upslope entering the Pittsburg Hills
- **BART was operating with 58 fewer trains this week. On Thursday morning, only 534 trains were running, compared with 590 normally, and delays rippled throughout the system on different lines.**
- When the cars passed over this stretch of track, instead of delivering 1,000 volts of electricity, for an unknown reason the third rail was producing as much as 2,000 volts, according to a senior BART official
- The Cal OES Coastal Region and CSWC are monitoring the situation

Verizon Wireless Service Outage, Southern California

Verizon Wireless is reporting service outages in 10 counties.

- **This affects wireless service only, not land line service**
- **The PSAPs 911 network is fine.**
- **The concern is the Verizon Wireless subscribers can not call 9-1-1**
- **The outages started around 1200 hours.**
- **Most subscribers cannot call out, some can receive calls.**
- **Text and data services are not affected**
- **CA 9-1-1 Branch is monitoring the situation**

SITUATION SUMMARY

HWY 3 Roadway Damage, Trinity County

- On 3/15/2016 Trinity County Proclaimed a local emergency and activated their EOC to Level 1 due to a washout of 1000' of Highway 3. Initially, Highway 3 was believed to be closed over Scotts Pass which is at 6000' in elevation (originally reported as Calahan Pass).
- Highway 3 over Scotts Pass is open, residents can leave the Coffee Creek and Trinity Center areas via Highway 3 to Yreka for supplies. Currently, the only route to take Coffee Creek and Trinity Center residents in 2 wheel drives to Weaverville is a 140 mile detour north on Highway 3 to Yreka, south on I-5 into Redding, and west on Highway 299.
- Most people that live in these areas are associated with Weaverville for work, banking, schools etc.
- There are no requests for assistance at this time as all needs are being met. Caltrans, Trinity, Shasta Counties and contractors are working to alleviate transportation issues.
- National Weather Service are providing spot weather reports for the next 6 days, more rain is predicted this weekend.

Health and Medical

- Basic Life Support EMS is available from the local Fire Department.
- A four wheel drive ambulance, which could meet an ALS ambulance if need be, is at the Slate Creek detour.
- Air Ambulances are available in good weather.

Missions

- **2016-IREOC-21960**, Transportation EF-1. One snow blower to clear Trinity Mountain Road from Hwy 299 in Shasta County to Hwy 3 in Trinity County. Agency tasked: Caltrans.

Officials to test tsunami warning system in central and southern Calif. on March 23 during Tsunami Preparedness Week

- NOAA and the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) plan to conduct a test of the tsunami warning communications system on Wednesday, March 23 at approximately 1015 hours PDT in coastal areas of central and southern California.
- NOAA's National Weather Service Offices in Monterey, Oxnard and San Diego will broadcast the "Required Monthly Test." The test will also be broadcast on NOAA Weather Radio All Hazards, local television and radio stations.
- Some television systems are programmed to scroll a standard emergency alert text message and in some cases, the message may not contain the word "TEST." An audio message will say that the message is only a test, but if the volume is turned down or otherwise unheard, viewers may not realize the message is a test.
- To avoid confusion with an actual alert the test will be canceled if there is excessive seismic activity 24 hours prior to the test. People monitoring the test in coastal areas who do not receive it are asked to inform their local National Weather Service office.
- The test is a cooperative effort between NOAA, Cal OES, California Broadcasters Association, and local emergency management officials in coastal California.
- Please see attached press release from NOAA

SITUATION SUMMARY

Weather of Concern

Northern California

- There is currently no weather of concern for Northern California
- Wet weather expected to return for Sunday through Tuesday. Mostly light to moderate rain in the Valley expected with snow in the Sierra and Lassen NP areas.

Southern California

- There is currently no weather of concern for Southern California

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

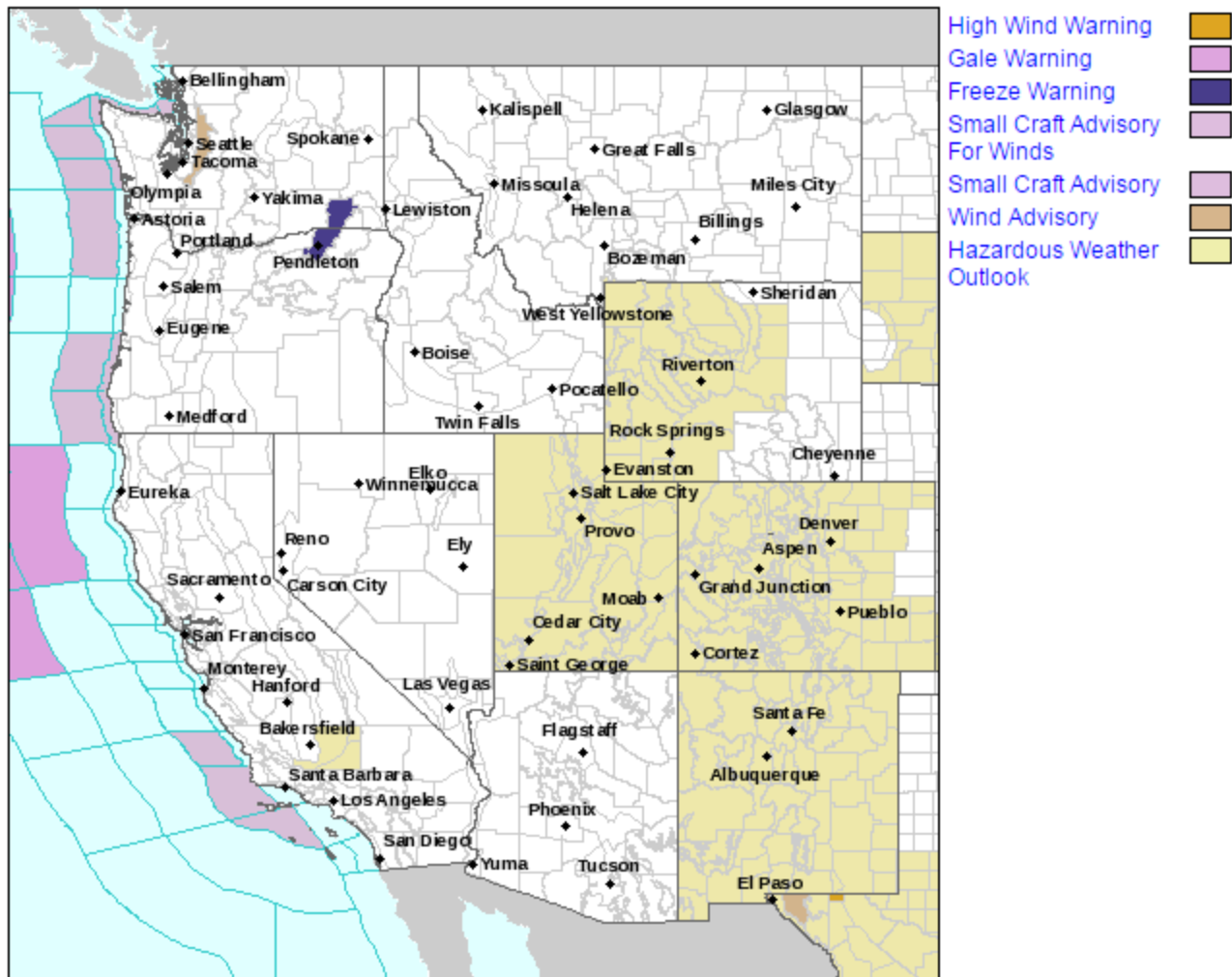
A bit of cloudiness will be moving through Northern California today ahead of a weakening weather system approaching the coast. Otherwise, it will be another dry, mild day across Northern California with the warmest inland valleys in the mid 70s. Most inland areas will have afternoon temperatures on the order of 8-10 degrees above normal today. The weakening system will move ashore tonight with not much in the way of precipitation is expected from it. Most of its precipitation will occur from around Cape Mendocino northward and as far inland as the crest of the Coast Range. Some cloudiness will linger Saturday across all of Northern California, and there may be a few lingering showers over the NW areas. A much stronger weather system will be over the region Sunday with some rain expected in most areas. Snow levels will be quite high Sunday, above 7000 feet. Moist weather will linger through Tuesday. Snow levels will be lowest Monday, but lighter precipitation will lead to fairly light accumulations. There will be lingering showers Tuesday, mostly over the northern and eastern mountains. Higher pressure and dry weather will probably return the middle of next week, then its unclear what's going to happen, although the latter half of next week appears most likely to have rather seasonable conditions.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Onshore flow will gradually strengthen over the weekend which will bring cooler weather to the region. But temperatures today will be 5-10 degrees above seasonal average across inland areas with afternoon readings reaching the 60s in the mountains to the upper 70s to lower 80s across inland valleys. There will be areas of night and morning stratus associated with the marine layer which will become more pervasive Saturday and Sunday. Minimum relative humidity will remain in the 25-35% range over most areas outside the desert due to onshore flow the next several days. Early next week, a pair of troughs will enter the Pacific Northwest. This will result in stronger onshore flow and a chance of light wetting rains in Central California. The first of the troughs may reach the state early Monday with the stronger system waiting until Monday night or Tuesday. A quarter to a half inch of rain will be possible in Monterey County and in the Sierras north of Yosemite N.P. Other areas may see light rain or drizzle on westward slopes due to upslope flow and a deep marine layer Monday and Tuesday. Temperatures will cool back to near or slightly below normal levels for the first half of next week. Expect west winds of 20-30 mph with gusts to 40 mph in and near the Antelope Valley, Banning Pass and eastern San Diego County each afternoon Monday through Wednesday. Gusty north winds may develop toward the end of next week.



STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Mar, 18th 2016 at 6:08:07 pm MDT



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC and will be held once per month.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 61 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 27 Counties: Butte, Colusa, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 13 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

CAL OES MISSIONS

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2016-LAW-21995, 03/17/16, 1010 hours,** The AFRCC advised of an ALNOT (i.e. missing/overdue aircraft) near Bishop, Inyo County regarding an aircraft, tail number # N167U, registered out of Taft, Kern County, that departed Bakersfield enroute to Bishop. The last contact with the aircraft was approx. 0841 hours approx. 7 miles N/E of Bishop. It was reported missing at 0909 hours. At the time of the briefing there was no other information on the aircraft or it's passengers. While briefing with AFRCC, the aircraft was located. **Mission Closed.**



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